

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI  
EASTERN DIVISION**

STEPHEN JONES,	)	
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Movant,	)	
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v.	)	No. 4:00CV628 CEJ
	)	
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

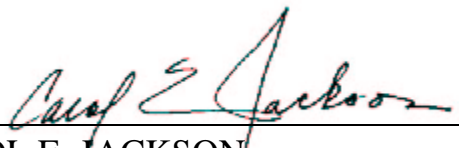
**MEMORANDUM AND ORDER**

This matter is before the Court on movant's "application to file a second or successive petition of habeas corpus under 28 U.S.C. § 2255." This Court lacks jurisdiction to grant the application because the AEDPA requires that it be presented to the appropriate court of appeals. 28 U.S.C. §§ 2244, 2255. As a result, the application shall be denied.

Accordingly,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that movant's "application to file a second or successive petition of habeas corpus under 28 U.S.C. § 2255" [#27] is **DENIED**.

Dated this 1st day of October, 2007.

  
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CAROL E. JACKSON  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE